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Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

English Language Declaration

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

INTEGRATED PUMP AND CANNULA SYSTEMS AND RELATED METHODS

the specification of which

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 was filed on 14 JANUARY 2000 as United States Application No. or PCT International Application Number PCT/US00/01095
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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**STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY
STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(F) and 1.27(c) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

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Integrated Pump and Cannula systems and Related Methods

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I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 121.3-18, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees under Section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons.

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